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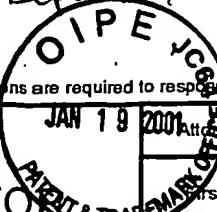
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DECLARATION FOR UTILITY OR DESIGN PATENT APPLICATION

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First Named Inventor	Czerwonka
COMPLETE IF KNOWN	
Application Number	09/684,311
Filing Date	10/06/2000
Group Art Unit	2152
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As a below named Inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence post office address, and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

ASSIGNMENT OF SCREEN SPACE FOR INPUT OF INFORMATION BY MULTIPLE INDEPENDENT USER FROM DIFFERENT LOCATIONS SIMULTANEOUSLY

(Title of the Invention)

the specification of which

is attached hereto

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was filed on (MM/DD/YYYY) 10/06/00 as United States Application Number or PCT International

Application Number 09/684,311 and was amended on (MM/DD/YYYY) (if applicable).

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment specifically referred to above.

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I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code §119 (a)-(d) or § 365(b) of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate, or §365 (a) of any PCT international application which designated at least one country other than the United States of America, listed below and have also identified below, by checking the box, any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate, or of any PCT international application having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed.

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I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code § 119(e) of any United States provisional application(s) listed below.

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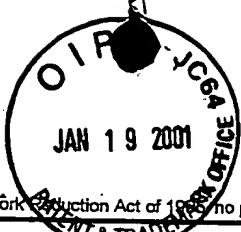
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Applicant or Patentee: Czerwonka

Application or Patent No.: 09/684,311

Filed or Issued: October 06, 2000

Title: ASSIGNMENT OF SCREEN SPACE FOR INPUT OF INFORMATION BY

MULTIPLE INDEPENDENT USER FROM DIFFERENT LOCATIONS SIMULTANEOUSLY

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that I qualify as an independent inventor as defined in 37CFR 1.9(c) for purposes of paying reduced fees to the Patent and Trademark Office described in:

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